

Components of Central line maintenance bundle



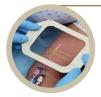
Hand hygiene before and after any catheter access manipulation.



Maintain aseptic technique during care and maintenance of intravascular catheters.



Daily review of the need for catheter with removal of the lines as soon as they are no longer necessary .



Proper dressing choice:

- Use transparent semipermeable dressing.
- Use gauze only if the site is bleeding or oozing.



Proper frequency of dressing change:

- Replace transparent dressing every 7 days.
- Replace gauze dressing every 48 hours.
- Replace immediately any dressing that is soiled, dampened, or loosened.



Proper replacement of administration sets:

- Replace the administration sets no more frequently than 96-hour intervals, but at least every 7 days.
- If the administration set is used for administration of blood, blood products or fat emulsions, replace within 24 hours.